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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicant : Aggarwal et al.  
App. No : 10/665,693  
Filed : September 17, 2003  
For : SYSTEM FOR THE IMPROVED  
HANDLING OF WAFERS WITHIN A  
PROCESS TOOL  
Examiner : Gregory W. Adams  
Art Unit : 3652

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Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

- (X) Enclosed:  
(X) Amendment in 7 pages.  
(X) Return Postcard.

2. Fees:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		1801 (\$790)		\$790
1 Month Extension		1251 (\$120)		\$120
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$910

- (X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

3. Payment:

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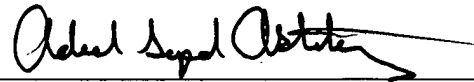
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Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: March 21, 2006

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